of the right and propriety of such removal; and, provided further, that nothing herein shall by jury. interfere with the right of the defendant in a criminal case to elect to be tried by a jury, or to be tried by the circuit court under any act allowing such election, and the party asking for a removal, whether upon election or upon affidavit, shall pay the costs which have accrued before the justice granting the removal, which costs shall await the final disposition of the cause.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That this act shall Effective. take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 4, 1888.

Chapter 273.

AN ACT to refund William Twilley, late collector of taxes for fifth district of Wicomico county, the sum of eighteen dollars and fiftyfour cents, for money paid into the treasury of the state in excess of the amount due by him to the state for state taxes for eighteen hundred and eighty-two and eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

Whereas it appears, by the books of the treasury department of the State of Maryland, that William Twilley has paid into the treasury of money paid the state the sum of eighteen dollars and fifty-in excess of four cents in excess of the amount due by him amount due. for state taxes for eighteen hundred and eightytwo and eighteen hundred and eighty-three; and whereas the treasurer and comptroller of the state have recommended the passage of a law refunding the said sum of money to said collector; therefore,

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the comptroller be and he Authority to is hereby directed and required to draw a war-pay. rant upon the treasurer to pay to William Twilley the sum of eighteen dollars and fifty-four